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AMEMBASSY FOR DEA; HQS FOR ENOL/MCT: DEPARTMENT FOR S/NM

SUBJ: ADDITIONAL CCINC FUNDS FOR OPERATIONAL SUPPORT FOR LPDO

REF: STATE 302566, P132346Z DEC 76

- 1. EMBASSY HAS BEEN ADVISED THAT THE ENTIRE BOLIVIAN NARCOTICS ASSISTANCE PROGRAM HAS BEEN APPROVED. FUNDS SHOULD NOW BE AVAILABLE.
- 2. IN THE DOCUMENT PREPARED BY MR NICHOLSON IN S/NM OPERATIONAL SUPPORT COSTS WERE TO BE INCREASED TO \$160,000 FOR FY-77. THIS WOULD PROVIDE \$40,000 PER QUARTER. THIS NEW ALLOTMENT WOULD SUPERSEDE THE AMOUNT OF \$20,000 INDICATED IN THE NCAP.
- 3. LPDO WAS ADVISED BY NICHOLSON GROUP WHILE AT MISSION THAT UPON PASSAGE, THESE OPERATION FUNDS WOULD BE MADE AVAILABLE ASAP AND DID NOT REQUIRE A SEPARATE AGREEMENT WITH THE GOB.
- 4. IN REFTEL APPROPRIATION #72-1171022 IS CITED FOR THE INCREASE FOR THIS INTERNATIONAL NARCOTICS CONTROL. THIS IS A CABLE TO AID FROM STATE AND NO AMOUNT IS LISTED FOR OPERATIONAL COST BECAUSE AID WILL NOT HANDLE THE MONEY, DEA WILL. OPERATIONAL COSTS ARE LISTED AS PART OF THE ENTIRE PACKAGE.

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5. REQUEST DEA HQS TO DO EVERYTHING POSSIBLE TO OBTAIN THESE FUNDS FROM S/NM ASAP. BOLIVIAN ENFORCEMENT EFFORTS SUFFERING GREATLY. REQUEST THAT THE \$20,000 ADDITIONAL DUE FOR FIRST QUARTER FY-77 BE EXTENDED INTO SECOND QUARTER FUNDS BECAUSE OF LATE AUTHORIZATION TO UTILIZE. SEDILLO.

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